Liber H. S. to be retained in his Majesty's Service on the said Expedition, they shall immediately enlist him or them as Soldiers, and the same Justices are hereby authorized and required, by Warrant under their Hands and Seals, to cause the Person or Persons so enlisted, to be [Officers to delivered to such Officer or Officers, who are hereby required to give a Receipt for such Person or Persons so delivered to him or them, which Receipt shall be returned to the said Justices, and by them transmitted to the Governor, or Commander in Chief, for the Time being.

And be it further Enacted, That the Pay of every Soldier enlisted [Soldiers by Virtue of this Act, shall commence from the Time of his being pay from the Time of enlisted, and delivered to such Officer or Officers appointed and impowered to enlist Men, and such Soldier shall receive the same Pay as any other enlisted Soldier. And if any Person or Persons enlisted by [If maimed, Now to be mainted or wounded in his Majesty's Service, as to be rendered incapable of maintaining themselves, he or they shall, upon his or their Return, be supported at the Public Expence; provided such Persons, at the Time of their enlisting, were Residents within this Province.

Provided always, That nothing in this Act contained shall extend [Who are to the taking or levying any Person to serve as a Soldier, who hath any Vote in the Election of a Delegate, or Burgess, to serve in the General Assembly of this Province, or who is under the Age of Twenty One Years, or above the Age of Fifty Years, or who shall at this Time be indebted to any One Person in the Sum of Five Pounds Current Money.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That [In Case although any Person who shall be taken pursuant to this Act, shall they shall refuse to take the Oaths to the Government, that such Person, not being a known or professed Papist, or Roman Catholic, shall, notwithstanding, be adjudged, deemed, taken, and retained, as a Soldier for the Service aforesaid.

And be it further Enacted, That this Act, or so much thereof as [Continu-relates to the raising and levying Men, shall continue and be in Force, ation.] from and after the Passing thereof, for and during the Term of One p. 167 Year, and no longer.

23.d December 1754
Read and Assented to
by the Lower House of
Assembly
Signed p Order
M Macnemara Cl lo ho.

On behalf of the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary of this Province I will this be a Law Hor.º Sharpe

The great seal in Wax Appendant

23.d December 1754
Read and Assented to
by the Upper House of
Assembly
Signed p Order
J. Ross Cl Up Ho.